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TRANSMITTAL OF REPLACEMENT AMENDMENT

SIR:

Please find transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application is a **REPLACEMENT Amendment** (for the Amendment mailed on January 22, 2007 and filed on January 25, 2007 (?)(The notification indicates a file date of January 15, but it could not have been filed before it was mailed on January 22, 2007).

While no fee is believed to be due (since this **REPLACEMENT Amendment** is being filed within one month of the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on May 3, 2007), *the Commissioner is authorized to charge payment of any fees (including any extension fees) associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Kenyon & Kenyon LLP, Deposit Account No. 11-0600.* A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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In further response to the Office Action of September 21, 2006, this Replacement Amendment replaces the original Amendment filed on January 25, 2007(?) (the notification indicates a filed date of January 15, 2007, but it could not have been filed before it was mailed on January 22, 2007) (and mailed on January 22, 2007). It is understood that this Replacement Amendment format is acceptable. As requested, the identifier for claim 1 has been corrected to be "Currently Amended".

This Replacement Amendment is being filed within one month of the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, which was mailed on May 3, 2007, so that no extension fee is believed to be due. (Any fees that may be due (including any extension fees) are authorized by the accompanying Transmittal paper).

Please reconsider the above-identified application based on the following:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.